GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2553
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AMENDMENTS TO EMIGRATION ACT
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Will the Minister of OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a): whether the Government of Kerala has suggested certain amendments to the Emigration Act, 1983;

(b): if so, the details in this regard; and

(c): the reaction of the Union Government thereto?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN MINISTRY OF OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS(SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER)

(a) to (c): A draft Cabinet Note relating to amendments to the Emigration Act, 1983 was circulated amongst the concerned Central Ministries and State Governments for their comments. Suggestions were received from various States including Government of Kerala and other Ministries/Departments on the proposed amendments. These are receiving attention. ..